GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Revenue Department – Initiation of Disciplinary Proceedings against Sri M.Nagaraja, the then Revenue Divisional Officer, Dharmavaram, now SDC (LA) Nandyal - under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges issued - WSD submitted by the CO - Imposition of Penalty of withholding of one increment without cumulative effect - Orders issued.

REVENUE (VIG.I.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.791 **Dated.25.07.2016**

Read the following:

1. From the Dist. Collector, Ananthapuramu, in Lr. Rc.No.A-1/DC/4146/2015, Dt.6-8-2015
2. G.O Rt. No. 178, Revenue (Vig. I.2), Dt.16-2-2016
3. Written statement of defence of Sri M. Nagaraja, SDC, Dt.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the District Collector, Ananthapuramu, has furnished a report against Sri M. Nagaraja, the then Revenue Divisional officer, Dharmavaram and now Special Deputy Collector, (LA), Nandyal and requested to take necessary action against him. Government have examined the matter in detail and initiated disciplinary action duly framing Article of Charges against Sri M.Nagaraja, Special Deputy Collector (L.A) Nandyal, vide G.O. 2nd read above, for the misconduct committed by him, while discharging duties as Revenue Divisional Officer, Dharmavaram, asking the VRA to apply Zandu Balm (pain killaer) on his neck and also knee to foot. In the reference read above, Sri M. Nagaraja, the then Revenue Divisional officer, Dharmavaram, has submitted his written statement of defense, stating that he is very much depressed on hearing the false and fabricated complaint against him and it affected his career as RDO, Dharmavaram, though there is no iota of truth in the allegation in this charge and it is an outcome of grudge by erred F.P. shop dealers, who have taken the situation in to their hands and created a false scene against him in retaliation to the suspension orders passed by him. He has finally requested the Government to drop further action against him.

2. Government, after examining the written statement of defense (WSD), Government have observed that though there is no eye witness, the circumstantial evidence show that the charged officer committed misconduct and asked the VRA to apply the Zandu Balm (pain killer), and the District Level Complaint Committee have also opined the same. Therefore, Government have decided to impose a penalty of stoppage of one increment without cumulative effect against Sri M.Nagaraja, the then Revenue Divisional Officer, Dharmavaram now Special Deputy Collector, (LA), Nandyal.

3. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose a penalty of stoppage of one increment without cumulative effect against Sri M.Nagaraja, the then Revenue Divisional Officer, Dharmavaram now Special Deputy Collector, (LA), Nandyal.

4. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.C.SHARMA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri M.Nagaraja, the then Revenue Divisional Officer, Dharmavaram, presently working as Special Deputy Collector (LA) Nandyal **through** the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P., Hyderabad (with a request to furnish served copy of this G.O. to the Government).

Copy to:
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P. Hyderabad
The District Collector, Ananthapuramu
S.F./ S.C.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER